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	First Named Inventor	Edward R. Dowski, Jr. et al.
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	Application Number	/
	Filing Date	(Herewith)
	Art Unit	Unknown
	Examiner Name	Unknown

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I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR MINIMIZING ABERRATING EFFECTS IN IMAGING SYSTEMS**

the specification of which (Title of the Invention)

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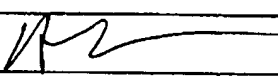
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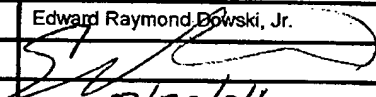
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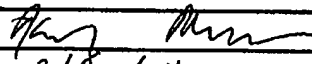
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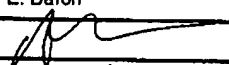
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